

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): JAY S. WALKER et al.

Docket No.

98-004-C3

Application No. 10/829,420	Filing Date April 21, 2004	Examiner SAGER, MARK ALAN	Customer No. 22927	Group Art Unit 3714	Confirmation No. 9119
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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPERATING A GAMING DEVICE TO DISPENSE A SPECIFIED AMOUNTCOMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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AMENDMENT and RESPONSE

to the Non-Final Office Action mailed September 30, 2004

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed September 30, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.